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SUBJECT Production at Schaeffer and Budenberg

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1. Measuring and regulating instruments for high-altitude aircraft are being produced at Magdeburg-Buckau by Schaeffer & Budenberg GmbH. The department concerned is working in three eight-hour shifts per day, seven days a week. Soviet missions are continuously taking delivery of finished instruments.

2. It is reportedly significant that the firm has received no official order in writing from the SMA in Karlshorst to construct the instruments in question. It is assumed that, in the event of a protest by the Western Allies, this measure would provide Soviet HQ with the possibility of claiming that production had been ordered by subordinate formations without the knowledge or approval of Karlshorst. That SMA HQ do know of these activities is proved by report No. 130 of 22 August 1946, which mentions negotiations between Captain of the Engineers Margaltsev (at that time officer in command of Schaeffer & Budenberg) and Karlshorst concerning the output of instruments for aircraft.

3. Between July and September 1946 the number of workers employed by Schaeffer & Budenberg was 3,500, but an additional 380 were requested by the firm for October 1946.

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